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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

M. KATO et al

Serial No.:

10/812,080

Filed:

March 30, 2004

For:

NONVOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY

Group:

2824

Examiner:

V. LE

Allowed:

September 21, 2004

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November 26, 2004

SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

MS: RCE

Commissioner for Patents

POB 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This submission is in the form of an Amendment which is being filed in connection with a RCE (Request for Continued Examination), subsequently to the allowance of the above-identified application but before payment of the Issue Fee. (A RCE transmittal form along with an authorized Credit Card Payment Form covering the fee amount directed thereto is enclosed.) Please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims;

Remarks are included following the amendments.

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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective October 1, 2003

Application or Docket Number

10812080 **CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I** SMALL ENTITY OTHER THAN (Column 1) (Column 2) TYPE [OR SMALL ENTITY **TOTAL CLAIMS** RATE FEE RATE FEE **FOR** NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA BASIC FEE OR BASIC FEE 385.00 770.00 TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS minus 20= \hat{c} XS 9= X\$18= OR INDEPENDENT CLAIMS -minus 3 = \odot X43= X86= OR MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT +145= +290= OR * If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2 TOTAL OR TOTAL

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.

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